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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 6, 2008 ACTION

This paper is responsive to the *Examiner's Office Action* (6 February 2008), having a shortened statutory period expiring May 6, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.